GURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

UPS AND DOWNS OF BASEBALL MANAGERS CONTINUE.

Team Leaders Can Only Succeed With High Class Playing Material-Many Cases in Point-Jack Johnson Outbtiles Over Match With Jim Jeffries.

Beginning this afternoon the Highlanders will play six games in three days, three double headers in succession, with the Browns. Both teams have enoxed two days of rest and are eager for the Manager Stallings may use Manon the hilltop, with Lake, Wilson, Warhop and Hughes ready to officiate in the rest of the series. The Big Chief said yesterday top players won four or even five of the than at any previous time this season. Three victories over the Detroits here last week erved to fill the Highlanders with confidence which is usually a potent factor. As a result intend to play harder than ever against frowns and hope to gain materially on the Chicago White Sox, who will have their hands full with the Athletics in Philadelphia, Manager McAleer of the Browns says his team is showing improved form, but he declares that no major or minor club has suffered the misfortunes have come his way ever since the seaopened. Practically all of his best other, so that he has been compelled to

st exclusively on his utility men. MoAleer has been the object of severe ritiosm, however, and there is a general nd for his head in the Mound City yeer ago when the Browns finished out a even games behind the Detroits, he won the American League pennant. office was lauded to the skies by the same is year. This has been the experience team managers ever since the national be began to attract the attention of Yet it is a fact that a successful team

makes a successful manager. Without signally failed. Ed Hanlon was a star manager in Baltimore and Brooklyn but a failure in Cincinnati and Pittsirg. Comiskey was a winner at the head old Browns and is in the limelight w as the real manager of the White Sox yet he was unable to produce the goods for the Cincinnati club. Buck Ewing was a as captain and manager of the champion Giants of twenty years ago, but like n and Comiskey he was not a success Porkville. McGraw was a failure as ager of the St. Louis Nationals and Baltire Americans, only to win undying fame as the handler of the Giants. Connie Mack accomplished very little as Pittsburg's manager, yet with the Philadelphia Ath-letics he has scored triumphs that have placed him in the front rank.

Lajoie's experience in Cleveland this year is another good illustration of a manager's ups and downs. For the first six weeks of the campaign the Clevelands were easy marks for all the teams until Lajoie was scorched by the critics who declared that he should be removed. But now that the Clevelands are up in the race and playing good ball Lajoie is the recipient of unlimited praise. Even Uncle Adrian C. Anson experienced similar trouble in Chi-For years he was hailed as the peerless leader until the other National League teams began to outclass the famous Colts. Then Anson was canned and signing with the the helmsman. Very few fans realize are subjected, and in many instances these are subjected, and in many instances these team leaders are blamed unjustly for the poor performances of their players. The successful managers of the present day, Chance, Clarke and Jennings, are backed up by such great players as Evers, Tinker, Sheckard, Brown, Reulbach, Wagner, Leach, Gibson, Camnitz, Miller, Cobb, Bush, Summers, Donovan, Mullin and others. But if deprived of some of these stars they would soon demonstrate the fact that a manager without high class talent cannot win a pennant.

When the Eastern League season ends the Highlanders will take Pitcher Ford, accord Baseman Gardner and Shortstop. Foster from the Jersey City club. These young players cannot be excelled in their respective positions by any of the minor leaguers. The Highlanders, from all ac-counts, have also landed a coming pitcher or prints, have also landed a colling packet of Fischer, a big right hander who has been foing remarkable work for the Hartford Connecticut League club this year. All of the major league clubs are throwing out hooks for promising minor league material just now, but it looks as if Stallings will keep

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Jack Johnson posted \$5,000 in Chicago yesterday as a forfeit to cover the money put up the other day by Jeffries in the nainds of a local stakeholder. This action by Johnson does not mean anything, however, as his forfeit should have been posted with the man who holds Jeff's coin or with some other man mutually agreed upon. Incinctually Johnson says that he will not sign reticles of agreement unless he has a personal interview with Jeffries before the latter sails for Europe on Thursday. But the negro shows no inclination to come to this city before Jeff's departure, which has created the impression that it will be some time before a fight is arranged. It is said that if a personal interview is arranged. however, Johnson will insist on a 65 and 35 per cent: division of the purse and will not fight unless Jeff readily makes such a concession. On this point there may be a serious hitch as Jeffries is believed to favor a fight in a decay that if Jeffries is anxious to corner the negro he will agree to the latter's proposition regarding the burse and will also insist on a fight to a finish. They declare that a limited round bout which might result in a draw would be most unsatisfactory and that such an occurrence would be a black eye for the game. They say either Jeffries or Johnson must win decisively and that such a result can be attained only in a battle of inlimited rounds.

The Jeannette-Ferguson ten round bout at the Fairmont A. C. has been fixed for August 26. The men have begun training and are bent on settling their differences this time beyond the question of a doubt. Ferguson will weigh about 205 pounds, while tennet diub managers expect Ketchel here the latter part of this week to begin fitting himself for the ten round bout with Langford to be decided the first week in September.

James E. Gaffney's \$10,000 Alfred Noble will be trained exclusively in future for short distance events. He will probably start in a handicap at seven furlongs at Saratoga to-morrow and Trainer Weir thinks he will develop into another Roseben. In fact Weir says that Noble can do all that Roseben ever did right now and that the son of Garry Herrmann will quickly demonstrate his ability to beat the best sprinters, packing heavy burdens. Weir has signed Jockey Gilbert to ride the Gaffney horses and thinks he has made an excellent move. Gilbert came East a year ago under contract to T. M. Williams and soon received an engagement with the Keene stable. His work then was not alpose the result of the stable of the camedian circuit. Mr. Gaffney intends to buy some more horses during the Saratoga meeting and has commissioned Weir to keep his eyes peeled.

It is already conceded that comparatively few American horses will race in England next year. Ballot, Colin, Fair Play, Priscillian, Sir Martin and other star thoroughbreds who were shipped across the Atlantic last fall have done nothing to speak of on the other side and many of them will probably come back. It is even hinted that A. J. Joyner, who is training the Whitney and Belmont horses in England this year, will return here to resume sperations next season. The fact that racing in the State of New York is still alive and that it will regain much of its former prosperity in due time is said to have caused many of the American owners abroad to long for home. As already announced angust Belmont will race almost exclusively in this country next year, while James K. Keene will have a much larger and more formidable stable in training than at present. H. P. Whitney may reserve some of the best two-year-olds for next season's campaign in this country, while H. B. Dursamsement in contesting for American takes. If Ballot, Fair Play and Sir Martin. transfer on the first state of the first states. If Ballot, Fair Play and Sir Martin and takes. If Ballot, Fair Play and Sir Martin and takes. If Ballot, Fair Play and Sir Martin and the first states in creased the interest in the furf, angulally in view of the fact that there the very few horses of their class now in the first states.

HARRY PULLIAM'S FUNERAL. AFFLICTION WINS FOR KEENE Prominent Baseball Men Attend Cere monies at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 2.-Surrounded by the friends and associates in the work that nade his name famous the body of Harry Pulliam was laid to rest this afternoon in his lot in Cave Hill Cemetery beside his father and mother. Simple services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. E. M. Hawes, pastor of the Highland Presbyterian Church, in the Cave Hill chapel, and the Elks quartet sang as the body was lowered into the grave. At 2:30 o'clock the funeral left Pearson's Chapel, where the body was laid in state upon arrival here this morning. The funeral party, consisting of relatives of Mr. Pulliam and the owners and managers of the various National League baseball clubs, composed the list of honorary pallbearers, while those upon whom fell the sad privilege of bearing the bier to the grave were chosen from among the friends of Mr. Fulliam's young manhood, which was spent in Louisville.

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On the train that brought the remains were Barney Dreyfuss, Fred Clarke and William J. Locke, secretary of the Pittsburg team; Pitchers Leifield and Leever, Umpires Steve Kane and Johnstone. Wagner's injury prevented him from attending.

The body was borne to its final resting place by Dr. T. Hunt Stucky, Harry W. Russell, Robert W. Brown, William B. Thomas, Claude MoFarlan and Charles P. Dehler, all of whom were lifelong friends of Mr. Pulliam and who were acquainted with the early part of his career in baseball. From his associates in the National League the honorary pallbearers were drawn, together with President Ban Johnson of the American League, John A. Heydler, secretary of the National League presidents were Barney Dreyfuss of Pittaburg, Stanley Robinson of St. Louis, John Dovey of Boaton, William Shettsline of Philadelphia and Charles Ebbetts of Brooklyn.

Local honorary pallbearers were Judge Shackleford Miller, Sebastian Gunther, former Chief of Police W. J. McBryde, L. W. Bernheim, Major D. W. Sanders, R. T. G. Matthews, Dr. W. C. Vandersept and Marmaduke Morton of Nashville.

The floral tributes ordered for the funeral were among the most elaborate ever seen here. From John I. Taylor and the Boston American team came a ball and bat design. A wreath of American Beauties was sent by Richard Gough and the National Baseball Commission. Garry Herrmann sent a column of ivy garlanded by lilies of the valley and surmounted by a snow white dove. The Brooklyn Baseball Club's remembrance was a scroll of carnations and roses. A crescent and star of lilles and assorted flowers was the tribute of the Cincinnati Baseball Club.

HEYDLER PRESIDENT.

National League Directors Promptly Appoint Successor to Pulliam.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 2 .- A meeting of the National League board of directors was held to-day shortly after the funeral services of the late President Pulliam were to choose a successor to fill the unexpired term for president of the National League. Barney Dreyfuss, chairman of the board of directors, and the other members, Charles Ebbets, John Dovey and Charles Murphy, held a brief meeting at the Seelbach Hotel. Garry Herrmann, who is also a member of the board, was not present, as he is in the West. After the board of directors was called to order by Chairman Barney Dreyfuss a vote was immediately taken for the purpose of choosing a successor to the late president of the National League. agreed unanimously to elect John A. Heydler

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John A. Heydler is ex-secretary of the parent body, and during the vacation of Harry Pulliam was acting president. No one was chosen to fill his position as secretary-treasurer as he will be able for the present, with the assistance of Miss Caylor, to take care of all the details in the office and on the road.

Besides electing Mr. Heydler president of the National League for the unexpired term it was agreed by the members at the meeting to continue paying the full salary to the estate of the late President Pulliam for the remainder of the present term of office, which expires December 15. The board of directors further agreed that the National League should exect a suitable monument in honor of one who has always stood for the best interests of the national sport. Messrs, Dreyfuss, Murphy and Herrinann were appointed on the monument committee with instructions to spare no expense. It was further agreed to request all ball players in the National League to wear a badge of mourning on their sleeves for thirty days. After notifying John A. Heydler of his election the directors adjourned.

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Games Scheduled for To-day.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis at New York (two games).
Chicago at Philadelphia (two games).
Detroit at Boston (two games).
Cleveland at Washington (two games).
NATIONAL LEAGUE. New York at Cincinnati. Brooklyn at Pittsburg. Boston at Chicago. Philadelphia at St. Louis.

EASTERN LEAGUE. Montreal at Jersey City. Buffalo at Newark. Rochester at Baltimore. Toronto at Providence.

New England League. At Lynn-Lynn, 4; Lowell, 2.
At Brockton-Fall River, 5; Brockton, 2.
At Haverbill, Haverbill, 1; New Bedford, 0.
At Lawrence-Worcester, 2; Lawrence, 0.

Tri-State League. At York—Lancaster, 7; York, 4. At Johnstown—Willamsport, 7; Johnstown, At Altoons—Altoona, 9; Harrisburg, 0. At Trenton—Reading, 10; Trenton, 1.

Western League. At Des Moines—Des Moines, 5; Omaha, 7. At Wichita—Wichita, 14; Topeka, 4. At Lincoin—Sioux City, 4; Lincoin, 3. At Pueblo—Pueblo, 5; Denver, 1.

American Association. At Toledo—Milwaukee, 1; Toledo, 0. At Columbus—St. Paul. 7; Columbus. At Indianapolis—Kansas City, 3; Indian

Southern League. At Mobile—First game—Mobile, 6; Memphis, 2 Second game—Mobile, 4; Memphis, 3, At Nashville—Atlanta, 3; Nashville, 2, At New Orleans—New Orleans, 6; Little Rock, 1 At Birmingham—Birmingham, 3; Montgomery, 3 (darkness).

Connecticut League. At Northampton—First game—Northampton, 5; Bridgeport, 2; Second game—Bridgeport, 4; Northampton, 3, At Springfield—Springfield, 5; Holyoke, 2, At Hartford—Waterbury, 4; Hartford, 3, At New Haven—First game—New Haven, 8; New Britain, 7. Second game—New Haven, 6; New Britain, 5.

Virginia League. At Portsmouth—Portsmouth, 2; Richmond, 0. At Roanoke—Roanoke, 1; Norfolk, 0. At Lynchburg—Lynchburg, 5; Danville, 2.

J. Rogers Maxwell's schooner Queen has gone to Bristol to be refitted and to get some new sails. H. T. Sloane's auxiliary yacht Idler, which was badly burned in Portland Harbor, will be repaired at Lawley's Edmund Randolph has sold his auxiliary bark rigged yacht Apache to F. Legru of Paris. The Apache was one of the yachts that took part in the race across the ocean for the German Emperor's cup.

Samuel S. Sanford has chartered the steam yacht Wakiva through the agency of Theodore D. Wells.

Baseball To-day. Two games. First game called 2 P. M. American League Park, N. Y. Americans vs. St. Louis.—Ade.

and plenty of good sport served to make the day a memorable one. The track was a magnet for many visitors and long before the bugle called the horses to the post for the first event the clubhouse and private grandstand boxes were filled with notables The layers and players operated under the same oral betting methods that have prevailed on the New York tracks this year and sheriff Bradley, with a force of deputies, was on hand to see that the law was strictly

The fact that the Saratoga Racing Association had provided twenty-four con-secutive days of racing was an attraction for many of the best known turfmen in the Spa for several years came here to enjoy old times. In spite of many wild rumors there is no chance to gamble here for maidenate and a furlong Belleview, Zipango and Miss Catesby have chances. In the last race, for maidenate are with the second control of the except on the horses. The several club-houses that were conducted openly in the follow: past are closed tight and there seems to be no chance for them to resume business. Turiongs While the hotels are well filled, there is plenty of room for more, as the crowds are Cellaret. not so large as in former seasons. Still Saratoga is enjoying a new lease of life and the race meeting is the chief reason for it. To-day's sport included two stake feat-ures, the \$5,000 Saratoga Handicap, at a mile and a quarter, and the \$1,200 Flash Stakes, for two-year-olds, five and a half Joe Rose Stakes, for two-year-olds, five and a half furiongs. James R. Keene's Affliction, a three-year-old Meddler filly, won the handicap, with odds of 8 to 1 about her. T. C. McDowell's King's Daughter, 13 to 5 favor-McDowell's King's Daughter, 13 to 5 favor-ite, was second, and R. T. Wilson Jr.'s Ontario Olambala, 4 to 1, was third. Olambala opened favorite at 2 but went up to 4 as the smart play reduced King's Daughter

Affliction, because of recent fast trials here, was backed from 10 to 8, while all of the other starters received support. Taplin, who rode King's Daughter, took her to the front at the start and set a terrific pace. Lady Bedford and Bouquet followed the Ornament mare for a trifle more than half mile, when the pace proved too much for them. Then Olambala and Affliction, who carried only 89 pounds, began to move up, and when King's Daughter, because of her own efforts, showed signs of weariness

up, and when King's Daughter, because of her own efforts, showed signs of weariness E. Martin let the Keene filly down and the latter closed with a brilliant rush.

Taplin went to the whip in vain, for his mount at the last furlong pole had nothing left and Affliction beat her in clever style by a head in 2.95. Olambala was a length behind McDowell's mare, with the others beaten off. Affliction's share of the money was \$4.000.

The previous winners of the event were Rockton, Francesco, Waterboy, Lord of the Vale, Caughnawaga, Dandelion, McCarter and Monfort.

C. L. Harrison's Waldo, who has not been defeated in the East, scored a signal triumph in the Flash. Rocky O'Brien and the Sanford colt Herkimer cut out the pace for more than half a mile. Then McCarthy, who had been waiting with Waldo, 7 to 5, set the big colt down with the result that he went quickly to the front and won ridden out by two lengths in 1.97.

Fauntleroy, 12 to 1, from a slow break ran a great race and got the place by a head from Mrs. Livingston's Amela Jenks, 3 to 1. Because of the support accorded to Shannon and Herkimer Waldo receded in the betting, but he ran strictly to form and is regarded as a formidable contender for the Saratoga Special, to be run here next Saturday.

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Tim Pippin, 8 to 5 favorite, came home on the bit in the opening event, for three-year-olds, at six furlongs. He carried 123 pounds and in spite of a delay of more than ten minutes at the post he rushed to the front when the barrier was released and had so much speed that nothing could get near him in the run for the wire. Tim Pippin, therefore, won by three lengths in 1.13 1-5, much to the satisfaction of the form players. Ruble, 8 to 1, and George W. Lebolt, 4 to 1, had a flerce duel for the place, the former getting it by a neck. The others were

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The steeplechase, at about two miles, was a thriller. At the water jump, second time around, Malacca, one, of the choices, a thriller. At the water jump, second time around, Malacca, one, of the choices, ostimbled, threw Sobel over his head and then rolled on him. The jockey was taken away in an ambulance and two many in an ambulance and two miles, was a head out of the index of the choices, and the state of the choices of the choices

SECOND RACE.

Selling: steeplechase; for four year-olds and upward; \$400 added; about two miles:

Horse and Age. Wt. Jockey. Betting. Fin.
Byzantine, ağed. 145 Ray... 4-1 even 114
Marksman, 6... 144 Simpson. 8-5 3-5 2
"Grandpa, aged. 143 Sampson. 11-5 4-5 3
Malacca, 5... 145 Sobel... 4-1 even 1
"Lost rider but remounted and finished third.
1 Fell. Time, 4:32.
Good start; won easily: Byzantine, b. g. aged.
by Octagon—Mailow; owned and trained by N.
Hay.

TRIRD RACE.

Fish Stakes of \$1,200; for two year olds; allowances; five and a haif furiongs;

Horse and Age. Wt. Jockey. Betting. Fin.
Waldo. 2. 122. McCarthy. 7-5. 2-5. 12
Pauntleroy, 2. 112. Page. 12-1. 4-1. 2h
Amelia Jenks, 2. 100. Butwell. 3-1 even 32
Shannon, 2. 112. Grand. 6-1. 2-1. 4
Rocky O'Brien, 2. 119. V. Powers, 12-1. 4-1. 5
Dalhousie, 2. 119. V. Powers, 12-1. 4-1. 5
Dalhousie, 2. 119. V. Powers, 12-1. 4-1. 5
Herkimer, 2. 107. Musgrave. 7-1. 3-2. 7
Medailion, 2. 122. H. Smith. 20-1. 8-1. 8
Good start; won riliden out; Waldo, b. c., 2, by
Planudes—Salama; owned by C. L. Harrison;
trained by R. Coiston.

FOURTH RACK.

Serators Handican of \$5.000; for three years. TRIRD RACE.

Saratoga Handicap of \$5,000; for three yolds and upward; one mile and a quarter:

Horse and Age. Wt. Jockey. Betting. Affliction. 3. 90 E. Martin. 8-1 3-1
King's Daughter. 5 104 Taplin. 13-5 even Olambals. 8. 116. Nicol. 9. 4-1 8-6
Bouquet. 4. 105 Musgrave. 6-1 2-1
Petticoat. 3. 86 McCahey. 8-1 3-1
Lady Bedford. 3. 85 Glass. 7-1 3-2
Mailble. 4. 117 Page. 7-1 5-2
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Moduler-Heartache; owned by James Keene; trained by James Rows.

added; one mile:

Horse and Age.

Wt.
Mazuma, 4. 105
Imitator. 4. 103
Blackford, 3. 85
Dark Night, 4. 103
John Carroll, 7. 103
Escutcheon, 7. 103
Right Guard, 3. 97
King Sol. 4. 406
Eyebright, 5. 107 Jockey. Bett Musgrave. 3-1 e Grand. 5-1 Glass. 5-1 Davenp t. 12-1 Page. 15-1 Treubel. 5-1 McCahey. 40-1 Rossi. 200-1 Bergen. 60-1 Butwell 11-5 e me. 1:40.

AFFLICTION WINS FOR KEENE

MEDDLER FILLY TAKES \$5,000
SARATOGA HANDICAP.

Harrison's Waldo Triumphs in the Flash
Stakes—Tim Pippin, Byzantine, Mazuma and Barleythorpe Also Score—
Racing Begins With Boom at Spa.

SARATOGA, Aug. 2.—The racing season opened here with a boom to-day. Splendid weather, a large crowd, much enthusiasm and plenty of good sport served to make

TO-DAY'S CARD FOR SARATOGA ing Attraction.

SARATOGA, Aug. 2.-The \$10,000 Spinaway Stakes, for two-year-old fillies, five and a half furlongs, will be the feature here to morrow, with Ocean Bound, Sticker and the entry (Greenvale and Rumpus Whitney possibly the best. In the first race for two-year-olds, five and a half furlongs, Grasmere, Kingship and Democrat may go well. In the second race, at a mile, Ham merless, Miss Crittenden and Eschau may be the factors. In the third event, at seven America, while persons who had not visited furlongs, Besom. Jeanne d'Arc and Chief

> First Race-For two-year-olds; five and furlongs: Fighting Bob.... 111 Right Guard... 111 Warden... 111 Nethermost... 111 Aunt Jule... 111 Miss Crittenden 111 Console ... 111 Shapdale ... 111 Court Lady

ng; seven furiongs:
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115 Royal Vane.
115 Verbatim
105 Nod.
106 Coh ort.
105 Chief Hayes.
105 Gloriole. he Spinaway; for twoongs: . 115 Greenvale.. 112 Placid. . 112 Follie Levy . 112 Rumpus... Fifth Race—Selling: one mile and a fur lo Grande 107 Misa Catesby. Ing of Bashan 107 Okenite Illochan 107 Zipango. elleview 1071 maidens; one mile: 112 Practical. 112 Patsy 112 Gold Dust. 112 Saginaw 109 Clockwork.

LAWN TENNIS.

Interesting Play in the New York Most Championship at the Crescent A. T. The New York State lawn tennis chamon the courts of the Crescent A. C. at Bay Ridge and the feature of the day was the advent of the cracks from the Pacific Slope and Mexico. Of the lot W. H. Long, who holds a Pacific championship, did the most impressive work. He won two matches His first opponent was L. H. Cooke and the player, winning two straight sets. Long next tackled C. M. Bull, the hero of the Crescent A. C., and the gallery immediately made a quick move for the end court, which was the scene of action. The Pacific champion secured the first set easily with a score of 6-2, but Bull put up a better battle in the second, though Long won again in ing strong service and nearly always gets his first ball on the service court and when ever it happens that he is at fault with the first there is no let up on the second, which he slams across the net with all his might In perging he stands close to the base line and sets himself for a hard service. He

bends his knees, humps his back and brings his lithe, wiry body around with a twist, thereby imparting all the power in him to the impetus of the stroke.

In the open court play Long put a good deal of reverse on the ball, so that every time Bull made a hard return he drove it out of the court. Long has the knack of covering his court well and being 6 feet tall or thereabout he is aided by a fine reach.

The Buick people declare that they are very much dissatiafed over the action of the very much dissatiafed ov

the years have rolled lightly over him. Richard H. Palmer won his two matches and he shows a much improved game since he last played around the metropolic. The summaries:

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8. J. Grosshock. 8.

9. J. G. J. G. G. G. S. M. Shasbaugh defeated C. A. J. G. J. G

which I favored were compiled with. One of these was that Donlin should be secured from the New York Club, but Murray refused to allow that deal. I offered Murray one year's salary—37,500—if he would resign as manager and he refused. So I have decided to let my option go by default.

"In my opinion Mr. Murray is unfit to manage the Philadelphia or any other major league team. He is a minor league manager only, and not the man to handle a big team. The Philadelphia Club has been playing inferior ball all this year and I wished to give the Philadelphia public what it deserves after years of waiting—a winning team. This is impossible with Murray at the head, and therefore I shall have nothing to do with the team so far as I am concerned. Ponlin will not come to this city. I am done."

FAIRMOUNT PARK RACE.

Quaker City Motor Club Reverses Decision Not to Accept Foreign Entries -Machines Must Be Owned by Americans-Another Contest at Brighton. After all the discussion for and against

Motor Club to limit its second annual Fairount Park stock chasses road race on October 9 to American cars it has been decided to accept the entries of imported machines provided they are owned by citizens of this country. When the announcement was made several months ago that the Quaker City Motor Club officials had decided not to accept the entries of any foreign built machines the Philadelphia organization was praised for its pa-triotism by some adherents of American cars and criticised by racing enthusiasts who believe that American cars are plenty good enough to be matched against the bes products of European motor car builders. The American representatives of a number of the famous European motor car makers did not take kindly to the exclusion idea, and one of them, Jesse Froehlich of this city, American agent for the Benz, wrote a letter of protest to the Quaker City Motor Club. When at first the Quaker

that the club run a race for imported cars over the same circuit and under the same conditions that were adopted for the race for American cars, but the Philadelphia men refused to grant the request.
Soon after the protest was made by the importers the Quaker City Motor Club sent, a letter to every automobile manufacturer in this country to find out what support the club would receive in its effort to run a race limited to American cars. The cir-cuit in Fairmount Park over which the race is to be run is but eight miles in length and tries could be accepted. After waiting a to declare themselves the club has decided

City clubmen refused to change the con-ditions of the race the importers asked

City Motor Club did not make any special announcement of the decision to change

The members of the Motor Racing Association held a meeting yesterday at the Automobile Club of America and decided to hold another twenty-four hour race at the Brighton Beach Motordrome on Friday and Saturday, August 27 and 28. The conditions will be the same as governed last week's contest and the race will be limited to stock cars, either American or imported, that sell for \$2,500 and over. The race that ended Saturday night aroused so much interest that fourteen entries are already assured for the mext contest.

C. Arthur Benjamin, president of the Syracuse Automobile Dealers Association, declares the race meet to be promoted by his organization during the week of the State fair at Syracuse will be the greatest track meet of the year on a one mile horse racing course.

The members of the Plainfield Automobile Club celebrated the reorganization of their club last week by a club run to the Princeton Inn, more than fifty members participating. W. Clive Crosby, president of both the New Jersey Automobile and Motor Club of Newark, and of the Associated Automobile Clubs of New Jersey, and H. H. Bonnell, secretary of the State body, were the guests of the Plainfield clubmen. The Plainfield club has become a member of the State association.

nothing doing in the Mike Donlin-Magee deal between the Philadelphia and New York Clubs. This was the declaration of Felix Isman to-day. Mr. Isman stated that the whole deal was off and he added that he was through with the Philadelphia Club so long as Billy Murray was its manager.

Mr. Isman told his side of the affair as follows:

"I had an option on certain shares of stock in the Philadelphia Baseball Club, which I would exercise only if certain conditions which I favored were complied with. One of these was that Donlin should be secured from the New York Club, but Murray refused to allow that deal. I offered Murray one year's salary—37,500—if he would resign as manager and he refused. So I have decided to let my option go by default.

"In my opinion Mr. Murray is unfit to manage the Philadelphia or any other major league team. He is a minor league manager only, and not the man to handle a big team. The Philadelphia public what it deserves after years of watting—a winning team. This is impossible with Murray at the head, and therefore I shall have nothing to do with the team so far as I am concerned. Ponlin will not come to this city. I am done."

The automobile racing fever has seized Atlantic City, which has had a number of the straightaway time trials and races on the beach and a big automobile in the prolect in the prolect of the course of the processing which vill include the man to handle a beach and a prantic city, which has had a number of atlantic City, which has had a number of atlantic City, which has had a number of atlantic City. The automobile winds and introduced the processing which vill include the course of the processing which vill include the course of the strain and the teach in different properties in add

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to declare themselves the club has decided to accept the entries of imported cars and it is thought that the majority of the American makers who enter road races will be better satisfied at the decision to make the contest an open one.

The contest committee of the Quaker City Motor Club did not make any special announcement of the decision to change the conditions, but the entry blanks, which have just been issued, have as rule 22 the following:

"22 Eligibility—Any car, foreign or American, meeting the qualifications as specified in this entry blank is eligible, but foreign cars must be owned by citizens of the United

NABRANGANS ETT PIER, Aug. 2.—There was a large attendance at the matches of the Point Judith Country Club polo tournament, which opened to-day at Wildfield Farm. The first event was for the junior championship, the rival teams being the Myopia and Bryn Mawr. Bryn Mawr won by a score of 11% to 6%. In the second period R. E. Strawbridge of Philadelphia, while trying to make a goal was thrown from his pony. He only received a severe skake-up, however, and soon resumed play. The individual playing and riding of Alexander Brown of Bryn Mawr was a feature of the game.

Bryn Mawr-1, Alexander Brown; 2, R. Strawbridge; 3, C. Wheeler; back, M. G. Roser

an hour. The next day with her owner on board she started on, a long trip to New London. The water was rough, but the yacht went through without a hitch of any kind and Mr. Spencer expressed himself as well pleased with the yacht and her performance. This yacht is 55 feet long, 8 feet 6 inches beam, 30 inches draught, and is equipped with a 175 horse-power motor.

Long Race for Motor Boats. The long distance race for motor boats of the Colonial Yacht Club will be started of the Colonial Yacht Club will be started on Saturday, August 7. This race is for boats 25 to 40 feet over all length that are strictly cruisers and the start will be made at 2 o'clock from off the Colonial Yacht Club house at West 140th street. The course is around Long Island, going first through the East River and Long Island Sound and coming home up New York harbor. Entries for this event will close next Wednesday. Those already entered are S. W. Granbery's Irene H., J. B. Lindeman's Snap Shot H., F. D. Giles, Jr.'s Elmo H., winner of the Marblehead race; George B. Schilling's Virginia and R. Weldon's Priscilla 11.

Colonial Y. C. Races.

The regattal committee of the Colonial Yacht Club has announced races to be held off the clubhouse at the foot of West 138th street on August 7. These races are for yachts eligible to take part in the race around Long island, which will be started on August 16. Three cups have been offered. On August 14 the power boat race of the Waterway League of Greater New York and Long Island will be held over the club course. The Comptroller Metz cup is for 30 to 40 foot cruising power boats, the Fred Reid cup is for 30 to 40 foot open power boats, the Walden and Miner cups are for 25 to 30 foot boats and the John M. Porter cup is for open launches 25 to 30 feet.

Baseball Notes.

year.

It is said that Roger Bresnahan will not be able to catch again this year because of a torn ligament in his right shoulder.

Connie Mack is believed to have strings or more than fifty players in the minor leagues. lotte, N. C., team and is playing second base. When the Boston Americans let their veteran battery, Young and Criger, go to Cleveland and St. Louis respectively last spring for \$17,000 in cash and players Spencer. Chech and Ryan they believed they had the long end of the deal. Both Criger and Young are still playing fine ball, however, while Spencer has jumped the Red Sox, Chech has been released and Ryan has been pronounced a counterfeit. Nobody ever accused the Boston club of needing money, so that it is safe to say the owners would gladly hand back the \$17,000 for their o ld pitcher and catcher.

The use of the suptiball is being decreed at long the \$17,000 for their o id pitcher and catcher.

The use of the spitball is being decried all along the line just now. The fact that the most effective major league pitchers, including Mathewson Wiltse, Brown, Reulbach, Cannitz, Summers Mullin, Bender, Plank, Smith of the White Sox Scott and others, do not use the spitter is pointed to as a reason why it is unnecessary. There may be some anti-spitball legislation by the big league before next year.

sold Catcher Erwin.

If Hans Wagner cannot play his best game for the rest of the season the Pittsburgs may find it a difficult matter to keep the Cuba from passing them. The Cuba by the way, have won more and lost fewer games to date than a year ago at this time, which would seem to indicate that they have not missed Catcher Kling so much after all.

Summers, Detroit's winning pitcher, is effective chiefly because of his skill in using what is known as the "knuckle ball," so rival players assert.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. CAEN, France, Aug. 2.—The Prix de la Ville de Caen, 6,000 francs, 900 meters, was won to-day by Ephrussi's Astre Royal, O'Connor up. Monnier's Imperator (Spen-cer) was second. Vanderbilt's Defender (Bellhouse) was third. Eight horses ran.

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